BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

City of Scottsdale)	
)	Matter Under Review 5774
State of Arizona)	

AFFIDAVIT OF CHRISTOPHER K. BAKER

CHRISTOPHER K. BAKER, first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I make this affidavit from personal knowledge, and my statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.
- 2. I am Christopher K. Baker. I am a principal of Blue Point, LLC. ("Blue Point").
- 3. Blue Point is a political consulting firm and has no employees or other members.
- 4. At no time have I or Blue Point been retained by or employed by Doug Lamborn for Congress or any of its agents.
- 5. In 2006, the Club for Growth State Action ("CFGSA") hired Blue Point to create and mail some issue advertisements in Colorado and gave Blue Point creative control. For CFGSA, Blue Point created three anti-tax mail pieces that were mailed to absentee voters in El Paso County, Colorado, over the course of four days in July of 2006.
- 6. Blue Point was solely responsible for creating, designing, printing, and mailing of the three issue advertisements and for purchasing of the mailing list.
- 7. In connection with the three mail pieces, on July 5, 2006, Blue Point purchased an El Paso County, Colorado, absentee voter list from Tactical Data Solutions ("Tactical Data"), a list broker located in Grand Junction, Colorado. A copy of the invoice from the list broker is attached to this affidavit at Tab A.
- 8. Before contracting with Tactical Data, I inquired as to whether it was working for the Lamborn campaign. The representative with whom I dealt stated that it was not. Tactical Data did not disclose to me the source of its list.
- 9. Because of existing relationships between the Colorado Springs-area printers and area Congressional campaigns, Blue Point arranged for the CFGSA mail pieces to be printed and mailed in Salt Lake City. Sun Lithographing Company printed the mail pieces, and Advanced Mailing did the mailing.
- 10. Blue Point did not procure or receive its mailing list from the Lamborn campaign or its agents or from anyone else other than Tactical Data.
- 11. Blue Point did not create or mail the CFGSA mail pieces at the request or suggestion of the Lamborn campaign, a political party committee, or agents of either.

- 12. Blue Point did not discuss the CFGSA mail pieces with the Lamborn campaign, a political party committee, or agents of either.
- 13. Blue Point had no knowledge of any Lamborn campaign plans, projects, activities, or needs.
- 14. Neither the Lamborn campaign, political party committees, nor agents of either were involved in any decisions about any aspect of the CFGSA mail pieces, including, but not limited to, the content of the mail pieces, the production of the mail pieces, the distribution of the mail pieces, and the timing of the mail pieces.
- 15. CFGSA was the sole source of funds for the cost of creating, designing, printing, and mailing the three mail pieces as well as for the list purchase.
- 16. To my knowledge, none of the subcontractors used for the design, printing, or mailing of the mail pieces or for the mailing list were vendors used by Doug Lamborn for Congress.

The above information is true and correct to the test of my knowledge, information, and belief.

hristopher K. Baker

Scottsdale, Arizona

Subscribed to and sworn before me this 13 th day of October, 2006

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6) /15 /2016

